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1. The 1953 production plan for the Boehlen Hydrogenation Plant VEB indicated a production of 133,000 tons per year of Diesel oil; 95,000 tons per year of gasoline; 66,000 tons per year of aviation fuel; 34,000 tons per year of Kittelbenzin; 24,000 tons per year of iso-octane including 8,500 tons for internal consumption; and 20,500 tons of butane, including 13,000 tons for internal consumption.

2. The Boehlen Hydrogenation Plant had a dehydration plant for the production of high-quality gasoline in which aliphatic combinations were aromatized by repeated dehydration. [redacted] although possible, no reduction to benzol was made because of the costs. The fuel produced had an octane number of 75 to the maximum of 90. The capacity of the plant amounted to 180 to 200,000 tons per year. 25X1

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